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Rolfe. William Eldridge, one of the executors, was a son of Thomas Eldredge Sr.

These circumstances (dates, etc) might make it possible that Martha (Eldridge) Harris was not a daughter of Thomas and Martha (Bolling) Eldridge, but was the daughter Martha named in the will of Thos. Eldridge Sr.

All the genealogies however state that she was a daughter of Thomas and Martha (Bolling) Eldridge. If Robertson dates are correct Martha Bolling was only 14 when she married Thos. Eldridge. If married in 1727 Martha Eldridge was one of her older children she might have been born about 1729, and could have been the mother of Martha (Eldridge) Harris who was born in 1749. Until decisive proof to the contrary is obtained it will be assumed that the generally accepted account is correct.

Issue of Thomas and Martha⁴ (Bolling) Eldridge: 38. Martha married John Harris, of Surry County; 39. Sarah, married, in 1762, George Rives, of Sussex County; 40. John⁵, born April 22d 1741; 41. Mary (twin) born March 11, 1743, married Thomas Branch; 42. Judith (twin) born March 11, 1743, married James Ferguson; 43. Rolfe⁵, of "Subpoena," Buckingham County, born Dec. 29, 1745, died 1806, Clerk of Buckingham 1770-1806, married Sarah Everard Walker; 44. Jane.

For their descendants see Robertson's "Descendants of Pocahontas," and genealogy of Eldridge family in *William and Mary Quarterly*, XX, 204-207, 301, 302. No genealogy of the McRae family has been published.

(To be Continued)

DESCENDANTS OF TWO JOHN WASHINGTONS.

(Concluded)

The descendants of John Washington, second son of the emigrant John Washington, have now been traced as fully as accessible data will admit, and the descendants of John, only son of the emigrant Lawrence Washington, will next be taken up. The destruction of a large part of the records of Stafford County and the loss of the first King George County will-book have made a number of important documents inaccessible; but the Conway-Ashton account refers particularly to this branch of the family, and the register of St. Paul's parish, together with the King George and Westmoreland records and information from other sources makes it possible to prepare quite a full and authentic genealogy. In this, as in the account of the other branch of the family already printed there must be many omissions, especially in later generations. We shall be glad to have additions or corrections.

1. LAWRENCE¹ WASHINGTON was born at Tring, Bedfordshire, England, and baptized Jan. 23, 1635. He emigrated to Virginia about 1667 and settled in the old County of Rappahannock, which included both sides of the river from the present counties of Essex and Richmond upwards. In his will, dated Sep. 27, 1675, and proved in Rappahannock Jan. 6, 1677, he named his son John. He married first, at Luton, England, Jan. 26, 1660, Mary daughter of Edward Jones, of Luton, Gent, and secondly, in Virginia, about 1667-8, Joyce or Jane Fleming. By his second marriage he had issue:

2. JOHN² WASHINGTON (Lawrence¹), was born April 2, 1671. In a letter (printed in Waters' *Gleanings*) from him to his half sister, Mrs. Mary Gibson, of Hawnes, Bedfordshire, dated June 22, 1697, he says "I have a kind and loving wife by whom I have had three sons and a daughter, of which I have buried my daughter and one son * * * Direct yours to me in Stafford County on Potomack River in Virginia." He married, March 15, 1692, Mary, daughter of Robert Townshend, of Stafford County, and granddaughter of Richard Townshend Esq., of York County, member of the Council (see this Magazine XXII, 313, and Hayden's *Virginia Genealogies*, 732 and note). Lawrence Washington, son of Col. John Washington, the emigrant, in his will, dated March 11, 1697-8 made his "Cozen John Washington of Stafford" his executor and made bequests to said John and his (John's) eldest son Lawrence. The destruction of the Stafford records prevents us from ascertaining the date of the death of John² Washington. In the records of Westmoreland is the inventory, dated 1712, of the personal estate of a John Washington in that county; but in the same county in April, 1713, is a suit by John son of Lawrence Washington vs, John Washington, of Stafford, his father's executor.

Issue: 3. Lawrence³, died without issue (*Conway-Ashton*); 4. John³; 5. Robert³; 6. Townshend³; 7. Mary Townshend, married Burdet Ashton, of "Round Hill," Westmoreland Co. (*Conway-Ashton*, and Lund Washington, Sr. accounts) father of John Ashton, of "Round Hill," and grandfather of Charles Henry Ashton, who in 1843, in his 70th year helped to prepare the account of the Washington family.

4. JOHN³ WASHINGTON (John², Lawrence¹), "who lived at the mouth of Chotank Creek." In 1727 his mother deeded to him part of the Townshend tract. He died..... He married Mary.....(said to have been Massey).

Issue: 8. Mildred, married first Langhorne Dade, and secondly Dr. Walter Williamson (*Conway-Ashton* account). The St. Paul's Register records the marriage on Feb. 14, 1743, of Langhorne Dade and Mildred Washington; 9 Mary, born Feb. 28, 1726 (St. Paul's Register); 10 Lawrence⁴; 11. Frances, born Oct. 30, 1731; married Feb. 23, 1752, Charles Stuart, of King George Co. (St. Paul's Register); 12.

John⁴, born Aug. 10, 1734 (St. Paul's Register), probably died unmarried; 13. Elizabeth born Dec. 21, 1737 (St. Paul's Register); 14. Katherine born Jan. 30, 1740-41, married Dec. 23, 1759 (her cousin) John Washington (St. Paul's Register).

The Conway-Ashton account states that this John Washington had four daughters, one of whom Milly married first Langhorne Dade and secondly Dr. Walter Williamson; Katherine who married John Washington and two others who married Charles Stuart and Thomas Berry. It is probable that the King George records might show Mrs. Berry's name.

5. ROBERT³ WASHINGTON (John², Lawrence¹), of Westmoreland County, born -----, died 1765. His wife's name is not known. In a deed, dated June 16, 1762, Robert Washington states that his son John, on his first intermarriage, settled on an estate belonging to said Robert, and was given certain slaves, now 20 in number—confirms gifts. In his will, dated Feb. 11, 1763, and proved in Westmoreland Sept. 24, 1765, he gave his daughter Sukey 18 slaves, his grandson Robert Townshend Washington one negro, his granddaughter Sarah Washington one negro, and his son John rest of estate.

Issue: 15. John⁴; 16. Susan who married Lawrence Washington, of Mattox Creek (Conway-Ashton account, and see XXII, 329).

6. TOWNSHEND³ WASHINGTON (John², Lawrence¹) was born Sept. 16, 1705, died ----- Lund Washington, Sr., grandson of Townshend, stated that the will of his grandfather was proved in 1743, and that in it a tract of land at Matthias Point was bequeathed to a son Robert (father of Lund Washington) and it was stated in the will that it was a tract of land given to Townshend by his mother. He married, Dec. 22, 1726, Elizabeth Lund (St. Paul's Register).

Issue: 17. Robert⁴; 18. Thomas⁴, born March 24, 1731 (St. Paul's Register); 19. Frances Townshend, born Oct. 7, 1732 (St. Paul's Register); 20. Townshend⁴, born Sept. 21, 1733 (St. Paul's Register); 21. Townshend⁴, born Feb. 25, 1736 (St. Paul's Register); 22. Lund⁴, born Oct. 21, 1737 (St. Paul's Register). He was General Washington's steward and agent at Mt. Vernon during the Revolution and the letters of the latter show the high esteem in which he was held; 23. John⁴ (twin), born March 4, 1740, Captain 4th Va. Regiment Continental Line, Commissioned April, 1776. The State of Virginia in 1832 and 1838 granted land bounty to his heirs Elizabeth Lund Thompson, Catherine T. Thompson and Lund Washington; 24. Lawrence (twin) born March 4, 1740 (St. Paul's Register); lived in Fairfax County when his will, dated March 15, 1799, was proved Dec. 16, 1799. He made his nephew Hayward Foote sole executor and gave land to his niece Ann, wife of William Thompson of Colchester and his children; 25. Henry⁴ born Aug. 27, 1742.

10. LAWRENCE⁴ WASHINGTON (John³, John², Lawrence¹), of "Digby," on Chotank Creek, King George County ("Grandfather of the present Needham L. Washington." Conway-Ashton account, 1843), was born March 31, 1727-8, and died between 1804-1809 (The records of King George County, would show the correct date); married July 31, 1751, Elizabeth Dade. The following deeds are recorded in King George. (a) Dec. 28, 1796, from Lawrence Washington, Sr., of King George, to Robert Bolling, of Petersburg, Va., who had recently married his daughter Sally; (b) Deed from Lawrence Washington of King George and Elizabeth his wife to their son Lawrence Washington Jr., conveying 777 acres where L. W. Sr., lived, but reserving life interest; (c) Deed, May 28, 1799, from L. W. Sr. of King George to his grandchildren, the children of John Stith and Nancy Washington his wife. (d) Deed June 13, 1804, from L. W. the elder to his son Needham L. Washington, conveying all his stocks of cattle, etc., furniture and the gold spectacles, cane and spy-glasses "bequeathed me by General Washington."

Issue: 26. George⁵, born Jan. 4, 1758 (St. Paul's Register), probably died in youth; 27. Lawrence Jr⁵. In his will dated Feb. 4, and proved in King George April 6, 1809, he gave his brother Needham L. Washington his whole estate, with the exception of legacies to his sister Ann Stith, nieces Polly Parsons, Frances Bernard, and Ariana Washington, and brother-in-law John Stith (Mary, or Polly, Parsons, was wife of Rev. John Parsons and daughter of Robert Stith; Frances Bernard, wife of Thos. Bernard and daughter of Robt. Stith, and Ariana Washington, wife of Warner Washington and daughter of John Stith), 28. *Needham Langhorne*⁵; 29. Sally married (license, King George, Aug. 1796) Robert Bolling, of Petersburg; 30. Ann married John Stith, of Brunswick County, and died 1824; 31. Mary A. married Robt. Stith, of Brunswick County; 32. Frances Townshend, married 1st Thornton Washington, 2d Griffin Stith, of Brunswick County. N. L. Washington made bequests to his sister Frances T. Stith and his nephew Samuel Washington. The Stith genealogy (*Wm. & Mary Quarterly* XXI, 190) states that Griffin Stith married the widow of Samuel Washington, but this is evidently an error as there is in King George the marriage license, dated March 31, 1786, of Thornton Washington and Frances Townshend Washington.

15. JOHN⁴ WASHINGTON (Robert³, John², Lawrence¹) of King George and of Leeds Town, Westmoreland County (Conway-Ashton account), was born -----, and died 1787. There is in King George a deed from John Washington, of King George, and Constant, his wife, conveying the land he lives on. His will was dated July 3, 1785, and proved in Westmoreland June 26, 1787. His legatees were his wife Constant, an unborn child, son William Henry (to whom he gave his seal with the family arms), son Thomas Lund, daughter Sarah Harper "to whom I

have delivered the negro given her by my father and also a negro she has inherited on the death of her brother Robert Townshend Washington," daughter Lonisa Ffassaker Washington, his seven children: John Terrett, Wm. Henry, Thomas Lund, Robert Pitt, George and Nancy Constantia Washington. Friend Wm. Fitzhugh, of Chatham, and nephew Henry Washington (his sister's son) executors.

Issue: 33. William Henry⁵; 34. Thomas Lund⁵, born 1772, died April 30, 1819, married Sarah———(who died April 13, 1838, in her 79th year) (Bible Record); 35. Robert Townshend⁵, died unmarried before 1785; 36. Sarah Harper; 37. Lonisa Ffassaker; 38. John Terrett⁵; 39. Robert Pitt⁵, born 1795, died Dec. 3, 1820 (Bible Record); 40. George⁵; 41. Nancy Constantia, married March 7, 1793, Andrew Balmain, and died Sept. 21, 1827, aged 57 (Bible Record).

17. ROBERT⁴ WASHINGTON (Townshend³, John², Lawrence¹), of King George County, born July 25, 1729, died after 1799; married Dec. 16, 1756, Alice Strother. By deed in King George July 3, 1777, Robert Washington, of King George and Alice his wife and Lawrence Washington the younger, of King George, and Catherine his wife, conveyed to Lund Washington, of Fairfax, 600 acres in King George, where Elizabeth Washington, mother of said Robert, Lawrence and Lund, lately lived. By deed in King George, dated June 13, 1789, Robert Washington, of King George, conveyed land to his son Lund; and by deed dated June 29, 1790, conveyed to his son Thomas 576 acres in King George where said Robert Washington then lived, and also by deed in King George, dated Sept. 17, 1799, conveyed to his son Thomas Washington of King George, land in that county. The land in King George, where said Robert Washington then resided, which had been granted by Lord Fairfax to Townshend Washington July 10, 15 George II (1739).

Issue: 42. Thomas⁵. He was probably the Thomas Washington of King George who with Sarah his wife, sold Jan. 10, 1803, a tract of land in King George, where said Thomas Washington lately lived, being part of a tract of land granted to Townshend Washington July 10, 1739; 43. William Strother⁵, born April 20, 1760 (St. Paul's Register); 44. Ann, born Nov. 10, 1768 (St Paul's Register), married William Thompson, of Colchester; 45. Townshend⁵, born Sept. 20, 1764 (St. Paul's Register); 46. Lund⁵, born Sept. 25, 1767 (St. Paul's Register) at Matthias Point, died 1853, a merchant at Colchester; married Feb. 11, 1793, Susanna Monroe, daughter of Rev. Spence Grayson (and had issue (a) Susan Jean, married Dec. 3, 1815, Edward S. Lewis; (b) Lund⁶, born 1793-4, died Aug. 24, 1849).

18. THOMAS⁴ WASHINGTON (Townshend³, John², Lawrence¹) was born May 24, 1731 (St. Paul's Register) and died in 1794. The other Thomas Washington contemporary with him, survived him 42. Thomas⁵ Washington (Robert⁴) was alive at the date of his father's will Sept. 17, 1799, and Thomas Lund Washington lived until 1819. The will of the Thomas Washington here treated of was dated Feb. 3, 1791, and proved in King

George Jan. 24, 1794. His legatees were his wife Ann, son Thomas Muse Washington (to whom he gave "the land I live on"), his daughter Elizabeth, his son William Washington (to whom he gave "the money due him from John Walker's estate, being the money due his mother from her father's estate"), and daughter Jemima Jenkins.

Issue: 49. Thomas Muse⁵; 50. William⁵; 51. Elizabeth; 52. Jemima, married ——— Jenkins.

28. NEEDHAM LANGHORNE⁵ WASHINGTON (Lawrence⁴, John³, John², Lawrence¹), of "Waterloo," King George County; born——, died 1835. He married Sarah Ashton, daughter of Gerard Alexander. His will was dated Oct. 15, 1833, and proved in King George April 20, 1835. His legatees were his wife Sarah Ashton Washington, daughter Jane Wray Washington; to son Needham L. Washington the gold headed cane and spy-glasses "bequeathed to my father by his friend General Washington," and also gives him the estate, Waterloo, where testator lived; to daughter Jane Wray the gold spectacles left her father by General Washington. If his children died without issue his estate was to revert to the children of his sisters Mary A. Stith, Ann Stith and Frances T. Stith, and to his nephew Samuel Washington.

Issue: 47. Needham L.⁶; 48. Jane Wray.

We repeat a request for additions or corrections.

BLACKWELL FAMILY.

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(Continued)

4-6. James Blackwell, of Fauquier Co., Va., born Jan. 30, 1743; served in the Revolutionary War, as Lieutenant, Fauquier Militia. (McAlister's Virginia Militia, p. 199.) He m. Mar. 3, 1766, his cousin, Ann Blackwell, daughter of Col. William & Elizabeth (Crump) Blackwell, of Fauquier Co., Va.

4-7. Ann Blackwell, born Feb. 2, 1747; m. her cousin, John Blackwell, of Fauquier Co., Va., son of Col. William & Elizabeth (Crump) Blackwell, of Fauquier Co., Va.

4-8. Mary Blackwell, born July 10, 1749; m. Feb. 13, 1765, Moses Green, of Culpeper Co., Va., who served in the Revolutionary War, as Lieutenant. Son of Robert & Eleanor (Dunn) Green, of Culpeper Co., Va., Issue.

5-1. Sally Green, d. young. 5-2. James Green, d. unm.

5-3. Eleanor Green, m. Gen. James Williams. Served in the Revolutionary War, as Captain, 1775 to 1784; and in War of 1812, as Major-General, Virginia Troops; son of William Williams.

4-9. Judith Blackwell, born Jan. 8, 1751.

4-10. Thomas Blackwell, of Fauquier Co., Va., born Sept. 15, 1753; served in the Revolutionary War, as Ensign.